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Subject

Maintenance of Effort requirements

Dear Sir,

I am writing to express my concern over the recently proposed change to include Counties under the Maintenance of Effort Requirements. This will place an unnecessary burden on counties and county elections directors.

Our county supports the position of the National Association of State Elections Directors (NASED) outlined in their letter dated May 20, 2008. We ask that counties not be covered by Maintenance of Effort requirements under HAVA, that were clearly meant to apply only to state elections offices.

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